

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

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AND)	731-TA-1076
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Friday,
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Room 101
U.S. International
Trade Commission
500 E Street, SW
Washington, D.C.

The Commission meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable DEANNA TANNER OKUN, Chairman, presiding.

APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

DEANNA TANNER OKUN, CHAIRMAN (presiding)
JENNIFER A. HILLMAN, VICE CHAIRMAN
MARCIA E. MILLER, COMMISSIONER
STEPHEN KOPLAN, COMMISSIONER
CHARLOTTE R. LANE, COMMISSIONER
DANIEL R. PEARSON, COMMISSIONER

APPEARANCES (continued):

MARILYN R. ABBOTT, SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSION
WILLIAM R. BISHOP, HEARINGS AND MEETINGS
COORDINATOR

Staff:Inv. Nos. 701-TA-438 and 731-TA-1076:

ELIZABETH HAINES, INVESTIGATOR
BRAD GEHRKE, INDUSTRY ANALYST/ECONOMIST
JOHN FRY, ACCOUNTANT
RHONDA HUGHES, ATTORNEY
GEORGE DEYMAN, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

Inv. Nos. 701-TA-439-440 and 731-TA-1077-1080:

JAMES McCLURE, SENIOR INVESTIGATOR
RAYMOND CANTRELL, INDUSTRY ANALYST
CLARK WORKMAN, ECONOMIST
DAVID BOYLAND, ACCOUNTANT
MICHAEL HALDENSTEIN, ATTORNEY

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(11:00 a.m.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: This meeting of the United States International Trade Commission will please come to order.

CHAIRMAN OKUN: We have no agenda for future meetings or outstanding action jackets to consider. Is there any objection to approval of the minutes of April 15, 16, and 27 and May 4, 2004?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Hearing none, they are approved.

Is there any objection to approval of Ratification List 04-010?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Hearing none, it is approved.

We will now turn to Investigation Nos. 701-TA-438 and 731-TA-1076 (Preliminary) Live Swine from Canada.

Welcome to Mr. Deyman and the other members of the staff who participated in this investigation. Does any commissioner have questions for the staff?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Are there any additions or

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1 corrections to the staff report?

2 MR. DEYMAN: Yes, Madam Chairman. I'm
3 George Deyman, Office of Investigations. We propose
4 that the staff report be amended to include the
5 revisions contained in Memorandum INV-BB-056 of May 6,
6 2004.

7 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Thank you. Is there any
8 objection to approval of the staff report as revised?

9 (No response.)

10 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Hearing none, it is
11 approved.

12 Madam Secretary, will you please call the
13 roll?

14 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Hillman?

15 VICE CHAIRMAN HILLMAN: I vote in the
16 affirmative.

17 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun?

18 CHAIRMAN OKUN: I vote in the affirmative.

19 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Miller?

20 COMMISSIONER MILLER: I vote in the
21 affirmative.

22 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson?

23 COMMISSIONER PEARSON: I vote in the
24 affirmative.

25 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane?

1 COMMISSIONER LANE: I concur with my
2 colleagues.

3 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Koplan?

4 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: I concur with my
5 colleagues.

6 MS. ABBOTT: Madam Chairman, the Commission
7 has reached an affirmative determination.

8 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Thank you. Further
9 information regarding this determination will be in a
10 press release. The commissioners' opinions are
11 currently scheduled to be transmitted to the
12 Department of Commerce on or before May 17, 2004.

13 Thank you again to all the staff who
14 participated in this investigation. We will now take
15 a moment to change to the next staff for the next
16 vote.

17 (Pause.)

18 CHAIRMAN OKUN: We will now turn to
19 Investigation Nos. Nos. 701-TA-439-440 and 731-TA-
20 1077-1080 (Preliminary) Polyethylene Terephthalate
21 Resin from India, Indonesia, Taiwan, and Thailand.

22 Welcome to Mr. McClure and the other members
23 of the staff who participated in this investigation.
24 Does any commissioner have questions for the staff?

25 (No response.)

1 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Are there any additions or
2 corrections to the staff report?

3 MR. McCLURE: Jim McClure, Office of
4 Investigations. Madam Chairman, there is one revision
5 that's specifically to Table D-1 of the report as
6 contained in Investigations Memorandum INV-BB-054 of
7 May 4, 2004.

8 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Is there any objection to
9 approval of the staff report as revised?

10 (No response.)

11 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Hearing none, it is
12 approved.

13 Madam Secretary, will you please call the
14 roll?

15 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun?

16 CHAIRMAN OKUN: I vote in the affirmative.

17 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson?

18 COMMISSIONER PEARSON: I vote in the
19 affirmative.

20 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Hillman?

21 VICE CHAIRMAN HILLMAN: I vote in the
22 affirmative.

23 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane?

24 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the
25 affirmative.

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2 COMMISSIONER MILLER: I vote in the
3 affirmative.

4 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Koplan?

5 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: I concur with my
6 colleagues.

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8 has reached affirmative determinations.

9 CHAIRMAN OKUN: Thank you. Further
10 information regarding this determination will be in a
11 press release. The commissioners' opinions are
12 currently scheduled to be transmitted to the
13 Department of Commerce on or before May 17, 2004.

14 Thank you again to all the staff who
15 participated in this investigation. With no other
16 business to come before the Commission, this meeting
17 is adjourned.

18 (Whereupon, at 11:07 a.m., the Commission
19 meeting was adjourned.)

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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: (Preliminary)(Live Swine from
Canada)
(Preliminary)(Polyethylene
Terephthalate Resin from India,
Indonesia, Taiwan, and Thailand)

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731-TA-1077-1080

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NATURE OF HEARING: Briefing and vote

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